

House Resolution No. 2018

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives proudly pause to recognize those special young people who have exemplified the finest qualities of citizenship and leadership by taking an active part in state government; and

Whereas, David Reed, a political science student at Missouri Southern State University in Joplin, has distinguished himself as an Intern for the Honorable Marilyn Ruestman, State Representative from District No. 131; and

Whereas, David Reed joined the staff of Representative Ruestman for the Second Regular Session of the Ninety-fourth General Assembly as part of the Missouri State Intern Program at the state capitol in Jefferson City, a program designed to involve college students in the legislative process through active participation; and

Whereas, David Reed has experienced the opportunity to observe firsthand the inner workings of state government and has gained valuable insight into the process by which laws are made; and

Whereas, David Reed has successfully demonstrated his abilities in the performance of such duties as conducting research, serving as legislative aide and session attendant, helping with constituent services, and assuming various other responsibilities to make the office of Representative Ruestman run as smoothly as possible; and

Whereas, David Reed has earned recognition as a valuable asset to Representative Ruestman and the entire Missouri Legislature through the application of knowledge and skills acquired prior to his tenure as an Intern and a variety of visible new skills which will be of tremendous value in the job market; and

Whereas, a member of Kappa Alpha Order Fraternity, the Collegiate Debate Team, and the Student Senate, David Reed has also enjoyed recognition by serving at Student Life Staff in Joplin, George's Processing, Incorporated, in Cassville, the Joplin Regional Center in Joplin, ARC of the Ozarks in Cassville, and as a volunteer for various projects:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, hereby proudly join the Honorable Marilyn Ruestman in commending David Reed for his many important contributions to our State Legislature during the current session, and further extend to him our very best wishes for continued success and happiness in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for David Reed, as a measure of our deep gratitude.

Offered by _____
Representative Marilyn Ruestman
District No. 131

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 2018, adopted April 21, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker